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Filing Date	November 26, 2003
First Named Inventor	Susumu Yamada
Group Art Unit	3945
Examiner Name	J. Nguyen

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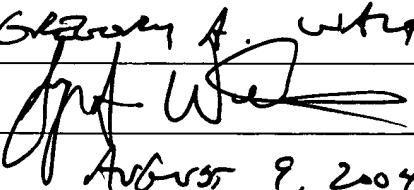- [ ] Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and interferences
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF MAY 10, 2004

In reply to the action mailed May 10, 2004, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this response.